

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 444

By Niceley

A RESOLUTION to congratulate Anna and Kyle Luster on the celebration of their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

WHEREAS, this General Assembly takes great pleasure in paying tribute to those successful marriages that have stood the test of time to serve as exemplars for present and future generations; and

WHEREAS, on June 8, 1957, Robert Kyle Luster and Anna Lee Finley were joined in holy matrimony in Knox County and, since that fateful day this outstanding couple has faced the world as one, basking in the glow of their love for each other through life's joys and sorrows; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Luster have been highly respected citizens of their community for over fifty years; they are the very epitome of good neighbors, as they always endeavor to treat others as they would like to be treated; and

WHEREAS, the son of Claude Rush Luster and Nellie Mae Runyon, Kyle Luster served with acumen and alacrity as the owner and operator of Luster Electric Service for twenty-six years, in which position he earned the respect of his customers and the community alike for the exemplary quality of his work; and

WHEREAS, the daughter of Lucy Lee Manis and Edward Meachem Finley, Anna Luster worked for the Knox County Trustee for thirty-two years and also dedicated her time and energies to the Young Democrats Club; and

WHEREAS, this fine couple's praiseworthy marriage has produced two children, each of whom has excelled in his or her particular field of endeavor; the Lusters' children are Kyle Brett Luster and Tycia Carmea Luster Kesterson; and

WHEREAS, the Lusters are also the proud grandparents of four grandchildren, Tiffany Michelle Luster, Matthew Kyle Luster, Noah Benjamin Kesterson, and Daniel Morgan Kesterson; and

WHEREAS, in addition to spending time with their grandchildren, Anna and Kyle Luster, both of whom are now retired, also enjoy tending their flower garden and taking care of their pets; Mr. Luster is also an avid crappie fisher; and

WHEREAS, the Lusters are active and devout members of the Swannsylvana Baptist Church in Dandridge; and

WHEREAS, for fifty years this blessed union has grown and prospered as an expression of time-honored family values and selfless love; and

WHEREAS, marriages such as the Lusters' are truly the rock-solid foundation upon which our society is built and a beacon of sanity and continuity in these turbulent times; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate Anna and Kyle Luster on the celebration of their fiftieth wedding anniversary and extend to them our best wishes for much continued happiness in the years to come.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.